IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of:)
Satoshi Murakami, et al.)
Serial No: 09/516,082)
Filed: March 1, 2000)
Art Unit: 2815)
Confirmation No.: 3545)
Examiner: Eugene Lee))
For: SEMICONDUCTOR DEVICE AND METHOD OF)
MANUFACTURING THE SAME)

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

AMENDMENT J

Dear Sir:

Applicants have the following response to the Office Action of December 12, 2006.

Please amend the above-identified application as follows: